

any class or kind whatsoever, it shall be the duty of the carriers parties thereto to establish just and reasonable regulations and practices in connection therewith, and just, reasonable, and equitable divisions thereof as between the carriers participating therein, which shall not unduly prefer or prejudice any of such participating carriers. Upon investigation and for good cause, the Commission may, in its discretion, prohibit the establishment of joint rates or service.

Power of Commission to prohibit joint rates or service.

(3) That all charges made for services rendered or to be rendered by any common carrier by motor vehicle in the transportation of property in intrastate commerce or in connection therewith, shall be just and reasonable, and every unjust and unreasonable charge for such service, or any part thereof, is prohibited and declared to be unlawful. It shall be unlawful for any common carrier by motor vehicle engaged in intrastate commerce to make, give, or cause any undue or unreasonable preference or advantage to any particular person, place, locality, territory, or description of traffic, in any respect whatsoever, or to subject any particular person, place, locality, territory, or description of traffic, to any unjust discrimination or any undue or unreasonable prejudice or disadvantage in any respect whatsoever; *provided, however*, that this paragraph shall not be construed to apply to discriminations, prejudices, or disadvantage to the traffic of any other carrier of whatever description.

Charges for services required to be reasonable.

Unreasonable preferences prohibited.

Unjust discriminations prohibited.

(4) That any person, organization, or body politic may make complaint in writing to the Commission that any such rate, charge, classification, rule, regulation, or practice in effect or proposed to be put into effect, is or will be in violation of this Section or of Section 25. Whenever, after hearing, upon complaint or in an investigation on its own initiative, the Commission shall be of the opinion that any individual or joint rate or charge, demanded, charged, or collected by any common carrier or carriers by motor vehicle, or by any such common carrier or carriers in conjunction with any common carrier or carriers by railroad and/or express and/or water, for transportation of property in intrastate commerce, or any classification, rule, regulation, or practice whatsoever of such carrier or carriers affecting such rate or charge or the value of the service thereunder, is or will be unjust or unreasonable or unjustly discriminatory or unduly preferential or unduly prejudicial, it shall determine and prescribe the lawful rate or charge, or the minimum or maximum, or the minimum and maximum rate or charge thereafter to be observed, or the lawful classification, rule, regulation, or practice thereafter to be made effective.

Complaints against rates, charges, practices, etc.

Power of Commission to establish lawful rates, rules, practices, etc.

(5) That whenever, after hearing, upon complaint or upon